

I am an XM Satellite Radio subscriber. I pay a monthly fee to listen to content free of commercials. The National Association of Broadcasters has decided to put its foot down on the throat of free speech via their petition 04-160 before the FCC.

Over the past few years, broadcast radio has grown into a cookie cutter industry. It provides no variety, no original programming, no extensive playlists.

I travel constantly and am frequently frustrated trying to get traffic and weather info on the local dial. What you do get, is short, not too sweet and loaded with commercials and infantile humor.

Please reject the NAB's attempt to muffle satellite radio. It's time is now. The NAB cares not for our rights as subscribers, only for the size of their wallets.

Thank You.